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**PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Serial No.: 10/539477	Examiner: FREISTEIN, ANDREW B
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For: FUSED HETEROCYCLIC DERIVATIVES AS PPAR MODULATORS	
Docket No.: X15460	

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated April 30, 2007, for above identified patent application, entry of the following election and consideration of the enclosed remarks is respectfully requested.

Any fees associated with this amendment may be charged to Eli Lilly Account No. 05-0840.

The present application is subject to a twelve way restriction requirement under 35 USC 121 and 372. Applicants hereby elect, with traverse, the invention of Group IV, wherein AL is a fused C5-7 carbocyclic group.

Applicants provide herein an amendment to the claims to reflect the presently elected invention and remarks to support the traversal of the present restriction grouping.

The amendments to the Claims begin on page 3. A complete listing of the current claims is included and shall replace all previous versions of the claims. Entry of the amendments to the claims is respectfully requested.